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                     it was learned from conversations that an airfield was to be constructed in the Ringleben area along the Erfurt - Nordhausen railroad line. It was further learned                      that                      200 hectares of land had been confiscated.                      an airfield for the Soviets was to be built in the Ringleben area.

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                     Comment. This is the first information on the intended construction of an airfield in the Ringleben area. Ringleben is located about 13 km north-northwest of Erfurt. A former German auxiliary airfield exists just east of Alperstedt which is located about 5 km east of Ringleben. The area of this field is under cultivation and no buildings or other installations are in existence there.

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